

Appln. No.: 10/848,784

Reply to Office action of February 28, 2005

**REMARKS**

Reconsideration of this application as amended is respectfully requested.

Claims 1 and 13 have been amended to incorporate the limitations of claims 2 and 14, respectively which were indicated as being allowable. It is respectfully submitted, therefore, that claims 1 and 13 are in condition for allowance. Claims 2 and 14 have been cancelled.

Claim 3 has been amended to change its claim dependency to claim 1. The remaining claims depend ultimately on either claim 1 or 13 and are believed allowable for the same reasons.


It is believed that this application now is in condition for allowance. Further and favorable action is requested.

The Patent Office is authorized to charge or refund any fee deficiency or excess to Deposit Account No. 06-0420 in the name of Federal-Mogul World Wide, Inc..

Respectfully submitted,

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